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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 DAMARIS ROMAN et al.,) Case No.: 1:21-cv-00667 JLT
12 Plaintiff,)
13 v.) ORDER GRANTING THE PLAINTIFFS' EX
14 AMAZON.COM SERVICES, LLC, et al.,) PARTE REQUEST
15 Defendants.) (Doc. 24)
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17 Plaintiffs' counsel failed to correctly calendar the deadline to file a brief opposing the
18 defendant's motion to transfer stay or dismiss the action. (Doc. 24-1 2). The plaintiff filed their
19 opposing brief five days late (Doc. 24-3) along with a motion to file the brief late and an ex parte
20 application to allow the motion to be heard on shortened time. (Docs. 24-25). The plaintiffs report that
21 the defense would not agree to the extension of time but offer no explanation why. Thus, the Court

22 **ORDERS:**

23 1. The request to hear the motion to consider the late-filed brief (Doc. 24) in an expedited
24 fashion (Doc. 25) is **GRANTED**.

25 2. The defense may file an opposition to the motion (Doc. 24) no later than October 5,
26 2021. No reply is authorized, and the Court will set a hearing only if it deems one necessary.

27 IT IS SO ORDERED.

28 Dated: **October 1, 2021**

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE